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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Kazunori YAMANAKA, et al.

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For: GAS TURBINE UNIT AND ITS COOLING METHOD

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please substitute the attached claims as amended under PCT Article 34 for the claims as filed.

— Claim 8 of the claims as amended, lines 1 and 2, please change "any one of claims 5 through 7" to --claim 5--.

Claim 13 of the claims as amended, lines 1 and 2, please change "any one of claims 5 through 7" to --claim 5--.